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1. SEVENTEEN-MAN UGANDA DELEGATION HEADED BY COL. DUSMAN SABUNI, MINISTER OF INDUSTRY AND POWER, ARRIVED NAIROBI AUG. 4 TO BEGIN TALKS ON NORMALIZATION KENYA-UGANDA RELATIONS. UGANDAN FOREIGN MINISTER JUMA ORIS NOT RPT NOT PART OF DELEGATION.

2. GOU DELEGATION INCLUDED SEMYARO KIINGI, MINISTER OF STATE FOR FINANCE; NOAH MOHAMMED, MINISTER FOR COMMERCE; GODFREY LULE, JUSTICE MINISTER; ABDEL-EL MASSER, MINISTER FOR INFORMATION; JUMBA MASAGAZI, MINISTER FOR PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT; CAPT. ELIAH VAWA, GOVERNOR OF EASTERN PROVINCE; AND R. K. KITARIKO, PERMSEC IN MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS AND TRANSPORT

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WHO IS ALSO ATTACHED TO OFFICE OF PRESIDENT.

3. UGANDANS MET BY FOREIGN MINISTER WAIYAI, HEAD OF 20-MAN GOK DELEGATION. GOK SIDE INCLUDED ATTORNEY-GENERAL NJONJO, POWER AND COMMUNICATIONS MINISTER OKERO, AGRICULTURE MINISTER NYAGAH, COMMEGVE AND INDUSTRY MINISTER MWAMUNGA, INFORMATION MINISTER MUTINDA, EAST AFRICAN COMMUNITY AFFAIRS MINISTER HENRY WARIITHI, AND GEOFFREY KARIITHI, PERMSEC IN OFFICE OF PRESIDENT.O

4. OAU SYG ETEKI ATTENDED FIRST CLOSED-DOOR MEETING AS OBSERVER. NO TANZANIAN OBSERVERS ATTENDED.

5. TWO-HOUR SESSION WAS HELD AFTERNOON AUG. 4 FOR PURPOSE OF SETTING AGENDA, WHICH NAIROBI PRESS REPORTS INCLUDES KENYA'S "SEVEN CONDITIONS FOR NORMALIZATION" AND UGANDA'S OIL SHORTAGE. TALKS ARE TO RESUME AUG. 5, BUT NO FIRM INDICATION HOW MANY DAYS TALKS WILL LAST. SABUNI TOLD PRESS IN ANSWER THIS QUESTION, "WE ARE AT HOME AND THE MEETING WILL LAST AS LONG AS NECESSARY.
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